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addEventListener()

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The addEventListener() method attaches an event handler to a specified element. It can be used to listen for when a user clicks on an element, when a user is typing, when the page fully loads, and much, much, more.

Start with this code in *mr-javascript.html*

```html
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
    <head>
            <meta charset="utf-8">
            <title>Mr. JavaScript</title>
    </head>
    <body>

        <h1>I'm Mr. JavaScript</h1>
        <a href="#">Hey JavaScript, how ya feeling?</a>
        <script type="text/javascript">

            var h1 = document.querySelector("h1");
            h1.innerHTML = "I'm alive!";
            console.log(h1);

        </script>
    </body>
</html>
```

Adding addEventListener() in *mr-javascript.html*

```html
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
    <head>
            <meta charset="utf-8">
            <title>Mr. JavaScript</title>
    </head>
    <body>

        <h1>I'm Mr. JavaScript</h1>
        <a href="#">Hey JavaScript, how ya feeling?</a>
        <script type="text/javascript">

            var a = document.querySelector("a");
            a.addEventListener('click',function(){

                var h1 = document.querySelector("h1");
                h1.innerHTML = "I'm alive!";
                console.log(h1);

            });

        </script>
    </body>
</html>
```

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